RESOLUTION NO. 17-04

RESOLUTION ADOPTING YOLO-SOLANO AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT RACT SIP

WHEREAS, the Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District (District) is classified as a "severe" nonattainment area with regards to the national ambient air quality standard (NAAQS) for the eight-hour ozone in accordance with the federal Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. x 7401 et seq.); and,

WHEREAS, both the federal Clean Air Act and the California Clean Air Act (Health & Safety Code x 39000 et seq.) Require the District to adopt air pollution control plans, rules and regulations for volatile organic compounds (VOC) and nitrogen oxides (NOx) to bring the District into attainment of the federal and state ambient ozone standards as expeditiously as practicable; and

WHEREAS, section 182(a)(2)(A) of the federal Clean Air Act requires states with ozone nonattainment areas designated as "marginal" or greater to submit a revision to the State Implementation plan for Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) corrections; and,

WHEREAS, Section 182(b)(2) of the federal Clean Air Act requires states with ozone nonattainment areas designated as "moderate" or greater to submit a revision to the State Implementation Plan for implementation of RACT under Section 172(c)(1) of the federal Clean Air Act; and

WHEREAS, the District has complied with this Clean Air Act requirement by preparing the 2017 Reasonably Available Control Technology State Implementation Plan Revision (2017 RACT SIP) in accordance with the terms and conditions of applicable federal law and regulations; and,

WHEREAS, District staff evaluated the District's VOC and NOx rules subject to EPA's Control Technologies Guidelines (CTGs), and has committed to amending any rules found not to meet RACT and submit these amendments to EPA for approval into the SIP; and,

WHEREAS, District staff evaluated whether all District sources subject to CTGs were regulated by District rule; and,

WHEREAS, District staff evaluated all major, non-CTG sources under District jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, District staff has listed in the RACT SIP document CTG categories for which there are no sources within the District boundaries and so no RACT analyses are required for these categories and is adopting negative declarations for these CTG categories; and,

WHEREAS, on August 11, 2017, the District published a notice of the public hearing on the draft 2017 Reasonably Available Control Technology State Implementation Plan Revision (2017 RACT SIP) in several newspapers of general circulation; and,

WHEREAS, the District Board held a public hearing on September 13, 2017, to accept public testimony on the draft 2017 RACT SIP; and,

WHEREAS, the 2017 RACT SIP is not a "project" as defined by CEQA Guidelines Section 15378 and accordingly is not subject to CEQA review pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District hereby adopts the draft 2017 RACT SIP as the final 2017 RACT SIP; and,

FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board directs staff to forward this Resolution and the final 2017 RACT SIP to the California Air Resources Board for transmittal to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency by September 15, 2017 as a revision to the California SIP for ozone.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District this 13th day of September, 20017, by the following vote:

AVES

Anderson, Boulware, Chamberlain, Harris, Johannessen, Rexroad, Stallard, Thomson

Vasquez

Noes:

None

Absent: Bogue, Brown, Provenza, Saylor, Swanson

Abstain: None

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Board of Directors

Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District

Attest:

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